

LOCALS.

Patience next Saturday.
 Remained at Mittenack.
 Attention is needed to the very
 road.
 Fresh mackerel and haddock
 at Mittenack's.
 Judge Hester has withdrawn
 from the race.
 Remained at the farm in July.
 The Half Moon Theater.
 A date for the next week.
 The various cases being
 at Mittenack.
 The best and
 at Mittenack's.
 There were services at the Cath-
 olic Church Sunday.
 When in Moulton to Felix
 Hester's saloon.
 The Gazette passes its first
 anniversary next week.
 All kinds of cold drinks at
 Mittenack's.
 Austin county went for Graham
 by four and eight-ninths of a vote.
 Twenty-eight leaves of bread for
 the City Bakery.
 There is a great revival meeting
 in progress at Nickel.
 All kinds of fancy candies at
 Mittenack's.
 Charlie Richter has opened up a
 lunch stand in the Palace saloon.
 Only good, butter handled at J. F.
 Mittenack's.
 There are spots of country around
 Shiner that are greatly in need of
 rain.
 Every style of spring and sum-
 mer hats at Mrs. Nolan's millinery
 store.
 A party of young people from
 Shiner took in the meeting at
 Nickel Sunday.
 In cream at Mittenack's every
 Tuesday, Thursday and Satur-
 day.
 Tom Schandera's fine cornel
 horses got badly cut by a wire fence
 Sunday.
 The Hawkins House is the head-
 quarters for Shiner people when in
 Hallettsville.
 Our prize melon contest promises
 to grow interesting. Bob Haynes
 is in the lead so far.
 We sell flour cheaper than any
 other place in town. J. F. Mittenack.
 The contract for the new court
 house at Gonzales was let to Mr.
 Kroger, of San Antonio, for \$62,
 000.
 Apples, peaches and best as-
 sortment of candies at Ed. Col-
 man's.
 If you want to find out who is
 in town or want to know anything
 whatever, look in the Gazette.
 A fine line of millinery goods
 at Miss Nolan's. Next door to
 Carnes Bros.
 E. O. Melton received the nomi-
 nation for comptroller at the popu-
 lar convention at Waco last week.
 Lemons, oranges, cucumbers
 bananas and new potatoes at J. F.
 Mittenack's.
 Fresh fish every Tuesday, Wed-
 nesday, Saturday and Sunday at the
 Palace Saloon Restaurant.
 Pocket knives, pipes, mirrors and
 a good many other things very
 cheap at J. E. Mittenack's.
 The Aransas Pass has completed
 the fence along the right of way
 from Shiner to Yorkum. The work
 will not be pushed any further for
 the present.
 Dr. Wapack will be in town
 next Monday. Teeth extracted
 positively without pain. Call on
 him at Dr. Eldon's office.
 The condition of young McElroy,
 who was so badly beaten up by ne-
 groes at Sweet Home some time
 ago, is reported by his physician as
 critical.
 Hamburger steak sandwiches
 every day in the week at Barny's
 saloon, Moulton.
 Fishermen who have been out
 on the river report that the re-
 sults are so many of them and
 they are so large that it looks like
 the country is painted red.

I have put in a stock of rubber
 pants, shirts, white head, hard oil
 and buggy paints, brushes,
 etc.
 C. L. Williams.
 If you see the streets blacked
 and a great crowd gathering around
 a wagon and people running from
 every direction breathless with
 excitement, you may know that
 another wagon load of watermelons
 has arrived in town.
 A full stock of perfumery,
 brushes, toilet soap, razors, station-
 ery, school books, and toilet ar-
 ticles and much more all found at
 A. Gray's drug store, Shiner, Tex.
 A. N. Bellamy—For myself and
 my friends, all my neighbors
 say, the same thing, that the
 Gazette is the best paper in town.
 DeWitt or Lavinia, counties. We
 have heard this sentiment so often
 that we begin to think it is true.
 Roll of Honor.
 Julius Richter
 R. Albrecht
 Wiley Terhewille
 Luke McGibney
 John Beyer
 Will Fortsch.
 Crowds of children coming from
 the Catholic church every evening
 has attracted a great deal of at-
 tention. They are studying their
 catechism preparatory to first com-
 munion next Friday. There have
 been about sixty children in at-
 tendance.
 The Adjutant General of Colorado
 was kidnapped a few days ago
 and taken to the out skirts of
 Colorado Springs and given a coat
 of tar and feathers. It was the
 outgrowth of his stand in the re-
 cent mining troubles in Colorado.
 Mrs. Zahn, living about six miles
 east of town met with a peculiar
 accident one day last week. She
 was crossing the pasture near her
 home, when she was run down by
 a vicious ox and her left arm was
 fractured. She was attended by
 Dr. Mitchell and is now doing very
 well.
 The three largest melons received
 at the Gazette office up to date
 weighed forty-three, forty-four and
 fifty-one pounds, respectively.
 The last named was grown by R. S.
 Haynes, near Dilworth, and was
 brought in last Friday. Unless
 this record is broken Mr. Haynes
 will receive the prize, a year's sub-
 scription to the Gazette.
 Prof. R. E. Walden, the repre-
 sentative of Walden's Texas Busi-
 ness College of Austin, who is here
 organizing a class in business pen-
 manship, to be taught at the public
 school building, beginning next
 Thursday afternoon and night,
 comes to us recommended by the
 leading bankers and business men
 of Austin, as well as by Ex-Gov-
 ernor L. B. Ross, Hon. John D. Mc-
 Call, comptroller, and others who
 stand high in the political world.
 It is an opportunity that all should
 embrace to learn to write a good
 hand.
 The Gazette points with pride
 to the fact that it carries no dead
 beat space killing advertisements.
 Every ad. in this paper is as good
 as gold. The business men of
 Shiner know how to advertise and
 appreciate a good paper, and as the
 Gazette enters on its second year
 it extends the hope that prospect-
 ively may mutually attend as all
 our beautiful little city continue to
 grow in wealth and population.
 We have cause to be proud of our
 city and of its reputation. When
 certain things now mooted come to
 pass, you will see a marvelous
 growth. Verily of the truth "This
 is God's country."

PERSONAL.

Charles Muecke visited Whiting
 Sunday.
 Patton McCord went to Hope
 Tuesday on business.
 Will Brilling went to Weimar
 Sunday on a visit.
 Mrs. Ed Walters left Tuesday
 on a visit to Meyersville.
 Miss Theresa Spaulding left for
 Yorkum Sunday to remain.
 Will Martin came up from Sweet
 Home Monday.
 Charlie Pelt took a trip to
 Schulenburg Saturday.
 A. J. Youngs visited Sweet
 Home Sunday.
 John F. Borchert was in town
 Sunday.

Pat Mueckleroy and J. W. Rags-
 dale were in town Saturday.
 Mrs. Patton McCord went to De-
 Witt county on a visit Friday.
 Will Elbaum came from a Y
 camp on a visit Tuesday.
 James Hollingsworth left last
 week on a visit to Santa Anna.
 Mrs. P. Staeker is visiting in
 the country this week.
 George Sweller was in Cuero all
 last week attending court.
 Hugo Buscher and Jake Malters
 of Moulton were in town Tuesday.
 Wm. Bickles, D. B. Zimmet,
 and J. M. Kirk were in town Mon-
 day.
 Julius Franke is stopping in
 town this week waiting for work
 to come in the shops at Yorkum.
 Richard Peters, son-in-law of
 Leubert, is visiting the family of
 Augustus, near this week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Henry Winkler are
 visiting relatives at Cuero this
 week.
 M. Richter and Mayer Blohm
 were in Hallettsville Tuesday on
 business.
 Mrs. Wiley Terhewille, of York-
 um, is visiting the family of
 John M. Krueger this week.
 Frank Stavara is quite sick this
 week. He is being treated by Dr.
 Mitchell.
 Dr. Mitchell's baby was seriously
 ill Friday of last week, but is a
 little better at this writing.
 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chieus, of
 Cameron, were visiting the family
 of W. F. Wunderlich here this week.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wunderlich
 returned from Chertan Thursday of
 last week.
 Mrs. Mollie Nolan is in charge of
 Miss Nolan's millinery store during
 Miss Nannie's absence.
 O. C. Searcy, Ben Calhoun, Ben
 Arabin and Steve Bennett were over
 from Hallettsville Monday.
 Joseph Koepke and family are
 visiting in Schulenburg and Engel
 this week.
 Master Fred Kokernot has been
 quite sick this week of slow fever.
 He is under the care of Dr. Eldson.
 Fannin Arabin, of Moulton, passed
 through here last week return-
 ing from Hope.
 Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Green visited
 Gonzales last week and returned on
 Sunday.
 S. P. Blaise returned from Waco
 Saturday and spent Sunday with
 his family.
 W. W. Fore, Louis Richter and
 Henry Scharnburg visited Waco
 Sunday.
 Mrs. D. G. Helmers and children
 spent last week at Engle, visiting
 friends and relatives.
 Alvin Beyer, post master of
 Walhalla, was here Thursday visit-
 ing A. C. Koepke.
 Theodor and A. Beyer and C. W.
 Meyer of Ellinger were here last
 Thursday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Koepke, of
 Hochheim, were here last Friday
 visiting A. C. Koepke.
 Ernst Nuemann, living near
 Brecken, has a very sick child
 which is being treated by Dr. Eld-
 son.
 Will Fortsch left Tuesday on a
 trip to Galveston. He will return
 Saturday or Sunday.
 Frank Effenberger has been quite
 sick this week but is better at this
 writing. He was treated by Dr.
 Nave.
 Squire Jackson and his two sons
 Kline and Fred, together with Mr.
 Hamill of Moulton, passed through
 here Monday on their way to Gal-
 veston.
 Frank Albrecht's little boy fell
 out of a doorway one day last week
 and broke his arm. The fractured
 member was set by Dr. Mitchell
 and the little fellow is doing fine.
 George Burgess passed through
 here Monday on his way to Hope,
 where he will engage in a
 joint discussion with General
 Bagby Wednesday evening.
 Father Bruce came very near
 meeting with a serious accident
 Tuesday evening while on his way
 to A. J. Kopack's house. At the
 bridge below town his horse became
 frightened at a passing train and
 upset the buggy, nearly demolishing
 it. The occupant escaped without
 injury.

Miss Emma Eubank, of Schu-
 lenburg, is visiting Mrs. Emil Rich-
 ters this week, and Emilie Jordan,
 of the same city is visiting Mrs.
 E. F. Wangemann.
 Fred Walden, of the Walden
 Hotel, of Austin, has ex-
 changed a visit in Hallettsville with
 his family. He will be in town
 again in a few days and will
 no doubt be well.
 George Neumann, of Temple, is
 in town this week. He met with
 a very painful accident some time
 ago. While working at his trade
 he slipped in his hands and
 struck his wrist causing a painful
 wound.
 Mrs. Hall, of Flatonia, who has
 been visiting her parents Mr. and
 Mrs. W. O. Goope, has been very
 sick this last week, as has also the
 young child of Henry Dryer, Jr.
 They are all being treated by Dr.
 Eldson.
Fishing Party.
 The crowd that went out to the
 river fishing from here last week,
 consisted of the following gentle-
 men: Adolph Wangemann, Julius
 Walters, M. Richter, C. L. Williams,
 J. H. Huesner, Will Arnold, W. W.
 Fore, Wm. Wendland and J. W.
 Holloway. They caught about
 two hundred pounds of fish, and
 ticks and red bugs without number.
A Mountain Lion.
 The fishing party out on the
 river last week reported having
 been disturbed Thursday night by
 a mountain lion prowling around
 the camp. His screams were heard
 several times. The place where the
 party were encamped was at the
 mouth of Peach Creek on the river,
 about four miles west of Big Hill
 ranch.
A Picnic Party.
 The following young people
 went out on the river Sunday pic-
 nicing: Misses Isabel Wendland,
 Freda Wangemann, Inez Ulbig,
 Ophelia Kollman, Tell Amster, Ed
 Rahman, Rudie Flato and Charlie
 Wangemann.
CLOSE OF SCHOOL.
 School closed at Bunyes' school
 house Monday, and the occasion
 was observed with a concert in the
 afternoon and a ball at night. Will
 Fortsch has given entire satisfaction
 as teacher here and is very popu-
 lar with his school patrons. There
 was a large attendance from town
 and dancing continued nearly all
 night.
 The programme consisted of ex-
 aminations in the morning; at noon
 an hour was taken for dinner, after
 which there were distribution of
 prizes and games by the little folks.
 The attendance was large and the
 order good.
A Fishing Party.
 There was a fine fishing party
 out on Rock creek last
 Sunday. The catch consisted of
 some splendid cat fish and trout.
 The party was composed of the fol-
 lowing gentlemen: Julius and Max
 Walters, J. F. Mittenack, Ed Wangem-
 ann, C. F. and M. Richter, Wm.
 Wendland, J. C. Blohm, L. Wagoner
 and Frank Stahala. The party
 caught about forty pounds of cat
 fish and trout.
A REVOLVER STOLEN.
 Station Agent Gafford, of Moul-
 ton, had a fine rubber handle pis-
 tol stolen from the depot at Moul-
 ton Monday, and suspicion pointed
 very strongly to a young man by
 the name of Jackson, who had been
 looking for work around Moulton
 on the section Saturday and Sun-
 day. He was followed to Shiner
 and over hauled, but nothing defi-
 nitely learned as it was supposed
 that he had disposed of the weapon
 before the arrival of the officers.
 Sunday evening he hired to section
 foreman Robert Hand here, to
 work on the section, and went to
 work Monday morning.

A New Secret Society.
 A New Secret Society was or-
 ganized last Saturday night by the
 young men of the town. The future
 meeting place of the society will
 probably be Mory's Hall. The fol-
 lowing officers were elected: Albert
 Moeller, president; Ernst Wangem-
 ann, dictator; G. W. Eschenburg,
 secretary; Otto Walter, treasurer;
 C. H. Richter, inside guard; G. E.
 Ruhmann, outside guard.
Enlarging the Bank.
 The work of enlarging the bank
 commenced Tuesday. The whole
 front end of the room formerly oc-
 cupied by Joe Oudry will be utili-
 zed by Mr. Walhausen. Philip is
 preparing for a run of business
 this year, as the large cotton crop
 promises to stimulate trade this
 year.
ATTENTION.
 There will be a meeting of the
 Young Men's Secret Society at
 Koepke's barber shop Saturday,
 June 30th. All applications for
 membership must be accompanied
 by one dollar.
 Albert Moeller, Pres.,
 Otto Walter, Treas.,
 Gus Eschenburg, Sec.,
 C. Richter, Jr., Guide,
 Ernst Wangemann, Dict.
Primary Call.
 In conformance with County
 Chairman Ragsdale's call, a Demo-
 cratic primary will be held at
 Shiner June 30th, 1894, for the
 purpose of nominating one Repre-
 sentative and all county officers
 who have submitted their names to
 the action of the Democratic con-
 vention. Polls open at eight a. m.
 and close at six p. m. Voters
 who are willing to support the Demo-
 cratic nominees will be allowed to
 participate. C. K. Hochenak,
 Chairman.
A Bad Accident.
 As Mr. and Mrs. John Menke were
 on their way home to Hochheim
 from Shiner Monday, June 18th,
 their horses became frightened at a
 point about six miles west of
 Shiner and ran away, upsetting the
 buggy and throwing the occupants
 out against a barbed wire fence.
 The buggy was completely torn up
 and both occupants were painfully
 cut and bruised. Mrs. Menke had
 her breast bone broken and Mr.
 Menke had a terrible cut across the
 abdomen. They were taken home
 after the accident and their wounds
 were dressed by Dr. Boyd of York-
 um. They are on the road to re-
 covery at this writing.
Miss Eschenburg's Reception.
 The young people spent a de-
 lightful evening at the residence
 of Mrs. Annie Eschenberg Tuesday,
 June 10th, three miles west of
 Shiner. The party was given by
 Miss Augusta, and the young folks
 all went out from town in a straw
 wagon. The party was composed
 of Misses Henrietta Richter, Emma
 Miller, Clara Littlefield, Annie
 Moellenbrandt, Laura Perlitz, Nan-
 nie Nolan, Elizabeth Baumgarten;
 C. H. Richter engineer, Rudy Flato
 fireman, C. B. Welhausen conduct-
 or, Chas. Amster porter, Erwin
 Wendland and G. E. Ruhmann
 brakemen. G. W. Eschenburg,
 Philip Walhausen and B. H. Smith
 sergeant at arms. Refreshments
 were served at 11 o'clock, after
 which the time was passed in games
 and conversation. At 1:30 Con-
 ductor Walhausen called "all
 aboard" and the wagon rolled
 away towards home, which was
 reached in the small hours of
 Wednesday morning. Miss Es-
 chenburg, as hostess, supplied her-
 self with credit. The occasion was
 one likely to be remembered.
 Editor Douglas, of the Yorkum
 Chronicle, passed through here last
 Monday on his way to Fort Worth
 to attend the meeting of the State
 Press Association.